

Century Farms and Ranches in Wasatch County Named

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As part of the Utah Centennial program, fifteen Farms and Ranches in Wasatch County have applied for "Utah Century Farm and Ranch Designation." To qualify, the applicants have met the following criteria: 1. Must be a farm as set forth in the Utah Farmland Assessment Act (Greenbelt). And 2. The farm or ranch must have been in continuous ownership and operation by a family for at least 100 years. A local committee consisting of Val Warnick, USU Extension Agent; Claude Hicken, Soil Conservation District, and Moroni Besendorfer reviewed the applications and approved the fifteen applications for Wasatch County.

Those applying for the designation from Wasatch County are: Moroni Besendorfer; Mecham Dairy, Dale Mecham; ABC Dairy, Alan Brown; The Moon Ranch, Steve Moon; Ryan Ranch, Lowell

Ryan; Cobble Rock Farms, Linden Maxfield; Joseph Smith Young Family Farm, Harriet Florence Young; Riverdale Ranch, Lynn and Debbie Baum; Heritage Ranch, John and Jane Besendorfer; Jerry S. Clegg; John Cardwell Clegg; The Winterton Farm, Sharon Winterton; C.B. Farm and Ranch, Richard Tatton, and Remund Ranch, Roy Remund.

These applications have been sent on to the state for final approval and official designation. Each qualifying farm or ranch will receive an official Century Farm and Ranch sign and plaque from the Utah Centennial program and the Utah Department of Agriculture.

Century Farms and Ranches in Wasatch County To Be Honored

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Fifteen farms and ranches in Wasatch County will receive their "Utah Century Farm and Ranch Designation" this week during the County Fair Days. The awards will be given on Saturday, Aug. 10, at 9:15 a.m. at the county fairgrounds, livestock area. The awards will be given prior to the Jr. Livestock Auction.

Those farms and ranches that will receive the award are: CB Farm and Ranch, Richard C. Tatton, Midway; Remund Dairy, Inc., Roy Remund, Midway; Moroni Besendorfer, Heber City; Broadhead Farm, Neil and Patricia Broadhead, Heber City; Cobble Rock Farms, Linden C. Maxfield, Heber City; Riverdale Ranch, Lynn D. and Debra L. Baum, Heber City; Heritage Ranch, John and Jane Besendorfer, Heber City; ABC Dairy, Alan Brown, Heber City; Ryan Ranch, Lowell Ryan, Heber City; The Winterton

Farm, Sharron J. Winterton, Heber City; Jerry S. Clegg, Oakland CA; John Cardwell Clegg, Provo, Mecham Dairy, Dale Mecham, Wallsburg; Joseph Smith Young Family Farm, Harriet Florence Young, Wallsburg; and Moon Ranch, Steven Moon, Woodland.

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This will be an ongoing program with other farms and ranches receiving the award every year. If you have any questions on the award, you can contact Val Warnick at the Wasatch County Extension Office, 654-3211.

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